

many instances those which do exist are not easily available to the public for research.

Gordon's *Gazetteer of the State of New Jersey*, 1834, pp. 74-84, gives tables showing most of the churches in existence at that time. The following publications include mention of existing or available records of New Jersey churches:

Bunting's *List of the Records . . . of the Society of Friends*. 1906.
Holland Society of New York, *Year Book*. 1912.
Jacobus' *Index of Genealogical Publications*. 1932.
Nelson's *Church Records of New Jersey*. 1904. Reprinted from *Journal of the Presbyterian Historical Society*, Vol. 2, p. 173, *et seq.*
New Jersey Archives, Volume 22, Preface.
New Jersey Historical Society Proceedings, Vol. 8 (New Series), p. 83, and Vol. 14, p. 129.

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REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS PENSIONED BY THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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The historian frequently has occasion to consult the laws of a state in order to establish certain historical facts. The student of genealogy, on the other hand, is generally not aware that this same source of information abounds with items of biographical and genealogical interest. The following list of Revolutionary soldiers and their widows who were pensioned by Acts of the Legislature of New Jersey has been compiled with two purposes in view, (1) to acquaint our readers with the fact that the State Laws are a source of genealogical information, and (2) to present a list of Revolutionary pensioners not heretofore conveniently available.

The list is based on the one given in Hood's *Index to New Jersey Laws, 1663-1903*, pp. 818-820, but as here presented includes all of the information concerning the soldier as set forth in the several Acts, *viz.* the residence of the pensioner, the amount of the pension per year, and the date of passage of the Act. Except in the few instances quoted, the Laws do not give the rank or service of the soldier. References to Stryker's *Officers and Men of New Jersey in the Revolutionary War* are given in parentheses thus: (S-486).

Aggins, Hugh. (No residence given). \$60. Jan. 27, 1831. (S-486).
Alger, Archibald. Middlesex County. \$60. Feb. 5, 1839. (S-487).

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Allen, Edward. Burlington Co. \$60. March 4, 1839. (S-487).
Allen, Robert. Somerset Co. \$40. Nov. 11, 1841. (S-488).
Anderson, Elijah. Monmouth Co. \$60. Feb. 23, 1844. (S-488).
"Applegate, Ann, "widow of a revolutionary soldier". Middlesex \$100. April 9, 1867.
"Applegate, Elizabeth, "widow of a revolutionary soldier". Burlington Co. \$100. March 9, 1868.
"Applegate, Hannah, "widow of William Applegate, deceased, of 1 month county". \$40. March 13, 1844. (S-491).
"Atkinson, Anna, widow of Isaac. Cape May Co. \$50. Feb. 11, 1841. (S-493).
"Atkinson, Anna, "widow of a revolutionary soldier". (No resid given). \$50. March 7, 1872.
Bartley, John. Somerset Co. \$60. Feb. 28, 1837. (S-501).
Beem, John. Hunterdon Co. \$50. Feb. 22, 1843. (S-503). John Beem Board, Cornelius D. Passaic Co. \$60. March 2, 1840. (S-511).
Boughner, Sebastian. Hunterdon Co. \$60. March 2, 1842. (S-512).
Budd, Mary, widow of George. Camden Co. \$30. Feb. 26, 1846. (S-513).
Burdan, Henry. Bergen Co. \$60. Feb. 25, 1847. (S-525).
"Camp, Aaron. Essex Co. \$40. March 10, 1842. (S-529).
"Campbell, Archibald. Atlantic Co. \$60. Feb. 28, 1839. (S-529).
"Carson, Robert. Mercer Co. \$60. Feb. 7, 1839, and March 7, 1841. (S-533).
"Carter, John, "A soldier and guide in the service of his country in Revolutionary war". Atlantic Co. \$40. Feb. 9, 1843. A sum to this Act increased his pension to \$80. At that time he "formerly of Atlantic, now a resident in Burlington county". \$5. 1853. (S-423).
Carter, Mary, widow of John. Burlington Co. "To receive the same as her husband had received under the Act of Feb. 9, 1843". March 29, 1855. (Same as above).
Chardavoyne, Anthony. Sussex Co. \$60. Feb. 16, 1844. (S-539). Chardewine.
Clark, Ambrose. Cumberland Co. \$60. Feb. 18, 1841. (S-539).
"Clark, Parker. Gloucester Co. \$60. March 6, 1837. (S-540).
"Clark, Reuben. "Late of the county of Gloucester, and now set off the county of Atlantic". \$60. Feb. 28, 1837. (S-540).
"Cobb, Clara R., widow of Thomas. Hudson Co. \$30. March 18, 1841. (S-113; 543).
Cole, John. Hunterdon Co. \$60. Feb. 20, 1840. (S-544).
"Coleman, William. Mercer Co. \$60. Feb. 12, 1841. (S-545).
"Cook, James. Morris Co. \$60. March 11, 1836.
"Cook, Susan, "widow of Col. James Cook, of the county of Morris, officer in the revolutionary war of the United States". \$40. 6, 1844. (Same as above).
Courter, William. Bergen Co. \$60. Feb. 19, 1838. (S-557).
Coward, Elizabeth, widow of Samuel. Monmouth Co. \$40. April 1846. (S-559).
"Cozier, Benjamin. Cumberland Co. \$60. March 15, 1837. (S-559).